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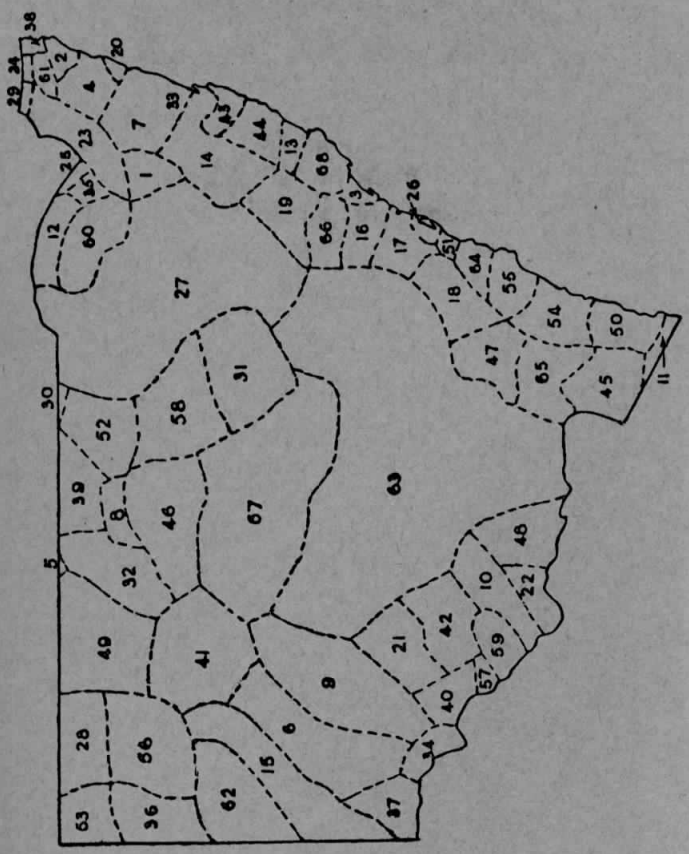
1. Anaiwan.
2. Arakwal.
3. Awabakal.
4. Badjelang.
5. Badjiri.
6. Barkendji.
7. Banbai.
8. Baranbinja.
9. Barindji.
10. Baraparapa.
11. Bidawal.
12. Bigambul.
13. Birpal.
14. Dainggati.
15. Danggali.
16. Darkinung.
17. Daruk.
18. Gandangara.
19. Geawegal.
20. Jiegera.
21. Jita-jita.
22. Joti-jota.
23. Jukambal.
24. Kalibal.
25. Kambuwal.
26. Bora (Port Jackson).
27. Kamilarot.
28. Karenggapa.
29. Kitabal.
30. Koamu.
31. Koinberi.
32. Kula.
33. Kumbainggiri.
34. Kureinji.



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35. Kwiambal.
36. Maljangapa.
37. Maraura.
38. Minjangbal.
39. Morowari.
40. Muthimuthi.
41. Naualko.
42. Narinari.
43. Ngaku.
44. Ngamba.
45. Ngarigo.
46. Ngemba.
47. Ngunawal.
48. Pangerang.
49. Parundji.
50. Thaua.
51. Turawal.
52. Ualarai.
53. Wadikali.
54. Walbanga.
55. Wandandian.
56. Wanjiwalku.
57. Wati-wati.
58. Wellwan.
59. Wembawemba.
60. Weraerai.
61. Widjabal.
62. Wiljakali.
63. Wiradjuri.
64. Wodiwodi.
65. Wolgal.
66. Wonarua.
67. Wongaibon.
68. Worimi.

INTRODUCTION

THE first list of aboriginal names, compiled by the late W. W. Thorpe, was published in 1921. It contained three hundred place names, but these were increased to seven hundred and fifty in the second and third editions. In all, some seven thousand copies of the list have been sold to date. In response to a constantly increasing demand, the list has been enlarged to almost fifteen hundred words to satisfy the two principal demands of the public. Firstly, it gives the meanings of seven hundred place names and pastoral stations in the State, and secondly, it makes available six hundred euphonious words, with their meanings, suitable for naming houses, streets, reserves, clubs, boats, commercial products, and the like. In addition it includes the aboriginal names of parts of Port Jackson; the words used for Canberra streets and Sydney Harbour ferries; and words such as dingo, boomerang, kurrajong, and many others, which have been adopted into our own language as vernacular names for animals, plants, aboriginal weapons and other things. The number placed after the meaning of the euphonious words and some of the place names indicates the tribe from which the word is derived; the tribe's territory is shown on the map, and its name in the accompanying list, on the inside of the front cover.

It is not claimed that the meanings given are scientifically accurate. Most of the words were recorded by missionaries, officers of the government departments such as the police, surveyors, and registrars, and by people interested in the natives, few of whom had any linguistic training for such specialized work. Explanations often fail to convey the variety of meanings that a word may have, especially where it is connected with the sacred, legal, or social aspects of aboriginal life. Many of the recorders knew little about the spiritual beliefs of the aborigines, and as a consequence gave too narrow an interpretation to words and phrases expressive of their secret life. One word may express a whole phrase, or describe an incident, between natives to whom the circumstances are known; it is their custom to use as few words as possible, and to build up omnibus words, consistent with their purpose, to give an account of a subject. They employ numerous, though slightly differentiated phases of meaning of the one word, as, for example, the pronunciation of a word for an animal at a particular time may imply that it is feeding, running, on the alert, off guard, on the ground, in a tree, entering or in a hole, and so on, and the recorder has to be very careful to write down the correct tonal values if possible. Some words have a number of meanings which apparently have no connection but can only be related by an understanding of aboriginal culture. Nurrondi, for example, means both to hunt and to enchant, because an animal may be caught, by being hunted or charmed, or by both methods combined, and one of these meanings alone would fail to bring out the full significance of the word. Some of the place names have a number of meanings, obtained by different recorders,

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and it is not now possible to ascertain which is the correct one or whether any or all of them are related in the above manner.

Then the same word in one tribal language may have an entirely different meaning in another tribe. Other interesting points are that where a corroboree has been learnt from another tribe, the correct words may accompany it, often without their meanings, while a technique or weapon which has been adopted by a number of tribes in one area may have the same name among them, but a variety of names among tribes outside this group. It should be remembered that in Australia there were hundreds of tribal languages, some of which were euphonious and others harsh and ugly. It has not been possible to assign all of the place names in this list to particular tribes, but in most instances they belong to the language of the tribe in whose territory they are situated; some of them are aboriginal corruptions of our names and phrases, just as others are our corruptions of aboriginal words.

Professor A. P. Elkin (Oceania Monograph No. 3, Studies in Australian Linguistics) states that "We now know, however, that abstract and general terms are not altogether lacking, and further, that a deeper knowledge of the culture and language of the aborigines shows that their apparent inability to translate literally our abstract terms, conjunctions, relative pronouns and various grammatical constructions expressing comparison, contrast and equality, does not imply an absence of those mental activities which we express in such ways . . . the aborigines have their own way of expressing these thought processes. Moreover, the understanding of a people's language is impossible unless it be approached through their culture. It is not a tool used by the culture, but a living functioning element within it. The meaning of its words and the forms of its structure are intimately related to the cultural contexts in which they find a place; and contexts, on their part, are made up of actions, presuppositions, beliefs and mutual understanding. Moreover, the grammatical presentation of the words is only part of the mechanism for conveying the meaning; there are also accent, intonation, and the general use of the voice, and equally important facial expressions and bodily gesture. Allowing a traditional use of sound and movement, such as characterizes the aborigines, we can admit the possibility of such mechanism taking the place of some of our forms of speech and grammatical structure."

The pronunciation of aboriginal words may only be indicated correctly by the use of accent marks, the use of which would not be possible in this list because so many of the words were recorded in a literal and not a phonetic style; as a result, spellings were made lengthy by the use of double *a*, *e* or *o*, the addition of *h* and *r* at the end of syllables and words, and other similar devices, which are convenient for general use. It should be borne in mind that all names commencing with a hard *c* should be spelt with a *k*, as Karawa for Carawa, and that *dj* or *tj* should be substituted for *ch* in many words. The spelling of words by recorders varies considerably, as the Port Jackson names demonstrate, due to factors such as the variation in the

pronunciation of words by members of the same tribe, especially when it occupies a large territory as does the Wiradjuri (No. 63), and the recorders' different ideas of the sounds spoken. Thus it is difficult to distinguish between *a* and *u* sounds, and consonants may be given equivalent values, as *g* and *k*, *d* and *t*. The accent varies among tribes, and the emphasis may be on the first, middle, or last syllable of a word. It is advisable to give equal emphasis, unless it is denoted by the spelling, to words in this list.

The demand for this pamphlet demonstrates the suitability and popularity of aboriginal words for use as names. They are Australian and should form an element in our national culture. Their use will contribute to a better understanding of the people.

Places and Pastoral Stations

ADELONG	Plain with a river
ADJUNGBILLY NADJONGBILLA	Permanent stream
AKUNA	To follow
ALLAWAH	Rest or stay here, sit down (26)
ALLEENA	We
AMAROO	Beautiful place
ANEMBO	Quiet place
APANIE	Water
ARAKOON	Hardwood parrying shield
ARALUEN	Place of water lilies
ARGOON	Black soil
ARRAMAGONG	Wombats running into their holes
ARRAWATTA	Tired leg
ATTUNGA	High place
AWABA	Plain surface, as a lake
BAAN BAA	Swim away
BALARANG	Place of swamp oak
BALGA	Forehead
BALLARA	Hooks at end of spear
BALLINA BALLOONA	Blood running from wounded fighting ground
BALLOO	Death
BALOWRIE	White Bogan lily
BALUNN	Name of Clarence river
BAMBIL	Mistletoe
BANDALONG	Junction
BANGALEE	Sandy beach
BANGALOW	Palm tree (*Archontophoenix Cunninghamiana*)
BANGAROO	Native bear
BARA	Step, below, dawn, they
BARADINE	Red wallaby
BARBIGAL	Frosty place
BARELLAN	Meeting of waters
BARGO	Cripple
BARINGA	Light, western silver wattle
BARRABADEEN	Large deep waterhole
BARRABOOKA	Hunting ground
BARRATTA	White or black shag
BARRENJOEY	Young kangaroo
BARWON	Great, awful river
BARYULGIL	Species of large lizard
BATMAROO	Deep creek
BEGA	Big camping place
BELAR	Place of forest oak ; name of tree
BELARADA	Oak scrub
BELBOWRIE	Broad-leaved tea-tree
BELERINGA	River crayfish
BELLAMBI	No
BELLATA	Home of belar trees
BELUBULA	Stony river
BEN BULLEN	High, quiet place
BENEREMBA	Man eloped with woman
BENGALLA	Ornaments

BENOMERA	Holes in a hill (Jenolan caves)
BERANGHI	Brother
BERMAGUI	Resembling a canoe with paddles
BERRICO	Hollow place
BERRIGAN	Emu bush (*Eremophila longifolia*)
BERRIMA	To the south
BERRY	White box-tree
BIALA	I understand
BIBBENLUKE	Big look-out
BIGGA	Often
BILLABONG	Milky Way (63)
BILLABUNG	Stream
BILLEROY	Running creek
BILLINUDGEL	Home of King parrot
BILPIN	Name of a mountain
BIMBAI	Spot where grass has been burnt
BIMBEEN	Woodpecker
BINALONG	Towards the highplace (sky world)
BINDA	Deep water
BINDI	Belly
BINGARA	Creek
BINNA BURRA	Place of White Beech trees
BINNAWIE	Green place
BINYA	Big mountain
BIRRIWA	Many box trees
BOBBIN	Place of smoke
BODALLA	Tossing a child up in the arms; haven for boats; several waters
BOGAN	Birth place of a great man
BOGGABILLA	Rivers and swamps
BOGGABRI	Emu with young
BOGONG	Large moth (63)
BOIGA	Maggots
BOLARO	Man with boomerang
BOLWARRA	High
BOMBALA	Meeting of the waters
BOMBO	Thunder
BONDI, BOONDI	Water breaking over rocks
BONG BONG	Many watercourses; many frogs;
BOOBAH	Top part of arm
BOOKOOKOORARA	Long stream
BOOLA	Coachwood; two
BOOLAROO	Place of many flies
BOOLIGAL	Windy place; a big swamp; place of flooded box tree
BOOMALLI	To strike
BOONA	Swampy country
BOONAL	Blady grass plentiful
BOONOKE	Playing sticks
BOONOO BOONOO	Poor country for game
BOONOONA	White ground
BOORABA	Bloodwood tree
BOORAL	Big, large
BOOROO	Kangaroo
BOOROOMA	Dog
BOOROWA	Fish hawks
BOOTHENBA	Wood duck
BOOYAMURRA	Pretty ankle
BOOYONG	Place of Ironwood trees

BORAMBIL	Place near an initiation ground; protecting root of a tree
BORA RIDGE, BURAH	Initiation ceremonies and ground (63)
BOREE	Fire
BORONGA	Big waterhole
BOWRA	Head; bald head
BOWRAL, BOOROOL	High or large
BREEZA, BIRIDJA	Flea; one hill
BREEWARRINA	Acacia clumps; a native standing; place where wild gooseberry grows
BREWONGLE	Camping place
BRIGALOW	Wattle
BRINAWA	Place where rock lilies grow
BROULA	Place of trickling water
BUCKALOW	Little lake
BUCKINGBONG	Big swamp
BUDDIGOWER	Smoke in hollow tree
BUDERI	Fishing place (entrance to Jervis Bay)
BUGILBONE	Place of death-adders
BUKKULLA	Place of Leopard tree
BULAH	Two
BULAHDELAH, BULADILLAN	Meeting of the waters; big (creek, rocks); good camping place
BULGA	Isolated hill or mountain
BULGANDRAMINE	Aboriginal holding a boomerang
BULGANDRY	Boomerang in hand
BULKARA	Mountain (3)
BULLAH BULLAH	Four hills or creeks; butterfly
BULLABURRA	Blue sky, fine weather (4)
BULLI, BULLA	Place where Christmas bush grows; white grubs; two (Mts. Kembla and Keira)
BULWARRA	High; lofty
BULYEROI	Large waterhole
BUMBALDRY	Noise of plunging into water
BUNDAH	Kangaroo; lake
BUNDABURRA	Red kangaroo
BUNDALA	Large person
BUNDANOON	Place of deep gullies
BUNDARRA	Cluster of trees at edge of swamp; kangaroo; cold
BUNDILLA	Meeting of the waters
BUNDOON	Kangaroo
BUNGA	Tail
BUNGARIE	Hut; tent
BUNGENDORE	Place of gum blossom; big hill on plain
BUNGLEGUMBY	Broken limb; whistle of spear-thrower
BUNGONIA	Sandy creek
BUNGULLA	Black bream; to burn (58)
BUNGWAHL	Swamp fern root food
BUNNABI, BUNNABRI	Name of Cape Banks, Botany Bay (51)
BUNNA-BUNNA	Big creek
BUNNAN	Ashes

BUNNERONG	Swamp ; sleeping lizard
BUNYAN	Place of pigeons
BURALYANG	Black ducks
BURBURGATE	Place of owls
BURRA	Wait or stop
BURRA BURRA	Very large stones
BURRADOO	Many brigalow trees
BURRAGA	Bitter swamp ; a stinging tree ; the sea ; porcupine (17)
BURRAGORANG	Natives who lived in a valley abundant with food ; tribe which wore a nose-pin
BURRANGURANG	Grass (Wollondilly R. dialect)
BURRANDONG	Native bear
BURRANGONG, BOORONGONG	Hunting grounds ; bad or bitter taste
BURRAWANG	Wild ducks ; any fast animal (63)
BURREN	Big creek
BURRENBAH	Brigalow tree
BURREN BURREN	Plenty of quail
BURRILL	Tree with a green and white leaf
BURRINGBAR	Boomerang ; the long boomerang
BURRINJUCK	Mountain with a rugged top
BURROWA	Plain turkey
BYAMEE, BIAMI, BAIMAI	Supreme spiritual being in many tribes of eastern N.S.W.
BYGALORIE	Red kangaroo
BYWONG	Big hill
CABARITA	By the water
CABRAMATTA, COBRAMATTA	Home of the cobra grub
CALLEEN	Fresh water
CALLEMONDAH	Plenty of hills
CALLEWATTA	Darling River, N.S.W.
CALOOL	Kurrajong tree
CALOOLA	Old fighting ground ; to climb
CAMBEWARRA	Mountain on fire
CAMIRA	Wind
CAMMERAY, CAMMERAY-GAL	Name of local horde or tribe on North Shore, Port Jackson (26)
CANBERRA, KA-AMBERRA, CANBERRY, NGANBIRRA	Women's breasts ; meeting place
CANNONBA	Place of shingle-back lizard
CANOBOLAS	Two shoulders
CANOWINDRA	Home
CARBEEN	Moreton Bay Ash tree (*Eucalyptus tessellaris*)
CARCOAR	Frog
CARINDA	You carry
CARRAMAR	Shade of trees
CARRATHOOL	Native companion
CARROLL	Forked tree
CASINO	Dogwood tree
CATOMBAL	Sheet of bark
CHAKOLA	Lyre bird
CHULLORA	Flour (17)
CLYBUCCA	Crooked tallow-wood tree
COBAR	Burnt earth used as a red pigment

COBARGO	Grandfather
COBBADAH	Place on a hill
COBBORA	Tread
COLAH	Anger
COLLARENDABRI	Many flowers
COLLAROY	Long swamp reed ; junction of creeks
COLLINGULLIE	Boggy ground
COLLOMBATTI	Two swifts flying
COLLYMONGLE	Very long lagoon
COLONG	Wombat
COMARA	Cut sinew
COMBANING	To hold water
COMBARA	To-morrow
COMBOYNE	Female (aboriginal, kangaroo)
CONDOBOLIN	Hop bush
COOGEE, KUJI, KUDJI	Bad generally ; stinking ; a bad smell caused by decayed sea-weed washed ashore (26, 51)
COOKARDINIA	Giant kingfisher
COOLABAH	A tree (*Eucalyptus microtheca*); stunted box trees here ; Black or Flooded box-tree
COOLAC	Native bear
COOLAH	Angry
COOLALIE	South wind
COOLAMATONG	Water near a hill
COOLAMON	Gnarl or wooden container
COOLANGATTA	Good look-out
COOLIBAH	Stunted box-tree
COOLONGOLOOK	Place of bats
COOMA	Lake ; sandbank ; one
COONABARABRAN	Inquisitive person
COONAMBLE, GOONAMBIL	Lot of dirt
COONONG	Dirty water ; excrement
COOPERNOOK	Elbow
COOPLACURRIPA	Place of mosquitoes
COORUMBONG	Creek with rocky bottom
COOTAMUNDRA, GOORAMUNDRA	Low lying place
COOYAL	Fire
COPPABELLA	Crossing place
CORAKI	Entrance to a river ; heat ; plain or forest turkey
CORANG	Moreton Bay Ash
COREEN	Last of the hills
COROBIMILLA	Tree struck by lightning
COROWA	Rocky river
CORRIMAL	Native name of adjacent mountain
CORROBOREE	Dramatization ; dance and song at night (51)
CORRODGERY	Sandy country
COWAL	Waterhole (27)
COWAN	Big water ; uncle (3, 17)
COWRA	Rocks
CROAJINGALONG	Looking east
CRONULLA, KURRANULLA	Small pink sea shell
CUDAL	Flat
CUDGEE	Very good place

CUDGEN	Red clay
CULGOA	Running through or returning
CULLENBONE	Meeting of waters
CUMBALUM	Place where flathead fish were caught
CUMBORA	Forest red gum
CUNDUMBUL	Big mountains
CURRA	More ; spring of water
CURRABUBULA	Two-forked tree
CURRAGUNDI	Waterhole ; plenty of mosquitoes
CURRAWANG	Spearwood tree (*Acacia doratoxylon*) (18, 26)
CURRAWARNA	Pine tree
DALMAN	Place of plenty
DANDALOO	Hail
DAPTO	Lame native " chief "
DEEBAN	Name of Port Hacking
DEERUBBUN	Name of Hawkesbury River
DELUNGRA	A water weed
DEMONDRIL	Place of spear reeds
DENILIQUIN, DENILAKOON	Name of headman of a tribe
DERRIBONG	Green trees
DERRIWONG	Grey magpies
DILGA	Splinter of wood
DINGO, JUNGHO	Dog (26), (51) ; wild dog (51)
DORRIGO	Stringybark
DUBBO, TUBBO	Eagle-skin head covering ; forehead band ; red ochre ; gypsum
DUNDULIMAL	Terrific hail storm
DUNDUNDRA	Waterfall
DUNEBA	Wattles
DUNEDOO	Swan
DUNGOG, TUNKOK	Clear hills
DUNOON	Ridge
DURAL	Hollow tree on fire at bottom
DURI	To crawl
DURRAN DURRA	Messenger
ECHUCA	Meeting of waters
EDGEROI	Creek
ELI-ELWAH	Rising sun
ELLINGERA	White quartz
ELOUERA	Pleasant place
EMU	Portuguese name taken from Goldsmith's "Natural History"
ERA	Teeth (64)
ETTAMOGAH	To have a drink
EULOMOGO	No finger nails
EUMUNGERIE	Tree
EUNGAI	Singing creek
EURABBA	Boggy creek
EURATHA	Cones on uri-bush
EURIE EURIE	Many kangaroos
EURIOWIE	Name of waterhole
EUROBODALLA	Small haven for boats ; land between waters

EUROKA	The sun
EWINGAR	Small bushy tree
GADARA	Cold or windy
GALONG	Flying fox ; swampy plains
GANMAIN	Native decorated with scars
GARAH	Long, far away
GARIE, GEERI	Sleepy
GARRA	To cough
GEMALLA	Fish
GEROGERY	Pleasant place
GERRINGONG	Place of peril
GILAI	Waterhole
GILGANDRA, KALAGANDRA	Long waterhole
GINNINDERRA	Sparkling
GIRILAMBONE	Place where flint stones are found ; where a meteor or star fell ; many stars
GIRO	Black satin bower bird
GIRRAWEEN	Place of flowers
GIVEA	Name of Cape Solander, Botany Bay.
GOODOOGA	Yam
GOONAL	Big lagoon
GOONDAH	Storm or rain
GOONELLABAH	Native coral tree
GOONOO GOONOO	Place of good water
GOORIANAWA	Blacks killed or murdered
GOWRIE, GAURI	Down of the eagle-hawk
GRAMAN	Big plain
GROGAN	Native companion
GRONG GRONG	Very hot
GULARGAMBONE, GILLAHGAMBONE	Place of Galah parrots
GULGONG	Deep water hole
GULLAMARA	To pen
GULLEN	Swamp
GULLIGAL	Place of water ; long grass seed
GULONG	Water
GUNBAR	No meat
GUNDAGAI	Going up stream ; sinews
GUNDAMAIN	Hut on a stream
GUNDARIMBAH	Cross-eyed man ; headache
GUNDAROO	Big waterhole
GUNDY	Place of stringy-bark ; trees ; frog
GUNNAMATTA, GUNAMARRA	Beach and sandhills
GUNNEDAH	Place of white stone ; poor place
GURLEY	Native willow (*Acacia stenophylla*)
GUNNING	Swamp mahogany
GUYONG	Heat of sun ; camp
GUYRA	Fishing place ; white cockatoo
GWYDIR	Red river banks
GYMEA	Giant lily ; a small bird
ILLABO	Where
ILLALONG	Swampy place
ILLAROO	Track near the sea
ILLAWARRA	High place near the sea (64)

ILUKA	Near the sea
INGAR	Crayfish
INGLEBAR	Crayfish holes
INGLEGAR	Place of the sick
JAMBEROO	Track
JANNALI	Moon
JERILDERIE	Reedy place
JERRA JERRA	Plover
JERRARA	Haunt of eels
JERRAWA	Goanna lizard
JIGGI	Reeds which grow near swamps
JILLIBY	Where two creeks meet
JINDABYNE	Valley
JINDALEE	Bare hill
JOALAH	Haunt of the lyre bird
JUNEE	Speak to me ; green frog
KADUNGLE	Lizard
KAHIBAH	Active
KALLIBUCCA	Bent tallow tree
KAMARAH	Sleep
KAMERUKA	Wait until I return
KANANGRA	Beautiful view
KANGALOOLA	Kangaroo hunting ground
KANGAROO	From the Koko-Yimidir language north-east Queensland, and first used by Captain Cook in describing this animal at the Endeavour River
KANIMBLA	Big fight ; fighting ground
KARAULA	Dumaresq River
KARUAH	Native plum tree
KATOOMBA, KADUMBA	Falling water
KEIRA, KEERA	Big lagoon ; high mountain ; wild turkey
KEMBLA	Abundant game
KERRIBEE	Wild horse
KIAH	Beautiful place
KIAMA	Plenty food (51) ; good fishing ground
KIANDRA	Sharp stones used for knives
KILLARA	Always there
KILLAWARRA	Scrub
KIMBRIKI	Water reed
KINCUMBER	Belonging to an old man
KIPARRA	Initiation ground, and final stage of ceremonies
KOGARAH	Place of rushes ; native name of Rushcutter's Bay
KOLODONG	Dove
KOLOONA	Young man
KOORAWATHA	Pine trees
KOOREWAL	Strong person ; name of La Perouse, Botany Bay (15)
KOOTINGAL	Star
KOTARA	Club (3)
KUNAMA	Snow
KUNDABUNG	Wild apples

KUNIDUL	Place of the wild carrot ; name of Kurnell, Botany Bay, landing place of Captain Cook (51)
KUNGALA	To shout and listen
KUNGIE	Hut
KUNOPIA	Lagoon
KURING-GAI	Home or hunting ground of the Kuring-gai horde or tribe
KURRAJONG	Shade tree (*Brachychiton populneum*) (63) · bark-fibre twine (26)
KURRI KURRI	Very first ; the ear
KYEAMBA	Forehead band
KYOGLE	The Native Companion
LILLI PILLI	Myrtle tree (*Eugenia Smithii*)
LOOMBAH	Steep banks
LOWANNA	Girl
LUMEAH	Here I rest
MANAR	Underdone
MANDAMA	Belah tree
MANDURAMA	Water holes
MANGOPLAH	Natives singing
MANILLA, MUNILA	Winding river
MARDI	Stone knife
MARLEE	Elder tree
MAROUBRA	Name of the beach and the horde which lived there ; good
MARRAR	Tarantula spider ; fish
MATHOURA	Windy
MATONG	Strong ; great
MEBBIN	Man
MEBUL	Grass tree
MENANGLE, MANANGLE	Swamp
MENINDEE	Yolk of egg
MERIMBULA, MERIMBOOLA	Big snake ; place of two waters or lakes
MERRIGAL	Plenty of dingoes about
MERRIGANG	Place of native dogs
MERRIWA	Plenty of grass seed and flour made from it ; gammon, pretence
MIANDETTA	Bend of a river
MIANGA	A fly
MICABIL	Struck by lightning
MILA	Hip
MILBRULONG	Rosella parrot
MILLAMURRA	Many eyes
MILLEWA	Hickory ; Murray River (part)
MILPARINKA	Find a well there
MILPERRA	Company
MIMOSA	Place of wattle trees
MINGAY	Sick
MINIMBAH	Home of the teacher
MINMAI	Place of the giant
MINNAMURRA	Plenty of fish
MINORE	White flower
MIRROOL	Pipe-clay
MITTAGONG	Little mountain · a companion

MOAMA	Dead
MOGIL MOGIL	Plenty of water; place of wild pomegranate; plenty of stone for axes
MOGO	Stone hatchet (26, 51, 66)
MOLONG	All rocks
MONARO / MANEROO	Plain; a woman's breasts; the navel
MONOMEITH	Beauty; sweet; rejoice
MOOBALL	Bowels
MOOKERAWA	Ironbark trees
MOONA	Plenty
MOONAN	Difficult to accomplish
MOONBI	Ashes
MOOTWINGEE	Grass
MOPPIN	Thigh
MORANGARELL	Water fowl's nest
MOREE	Spring or waterhole; a stone
MORORO	Fighting place
MORUNDAH	I got into the mud
MORUYA	Water-ford
MUDGEE	Nest
MUGGA	Name of Long Bay
MULGOWRIE	Place for water
MULLALLI	Mountain
MULLION	Eagle
MULLUMBIMBY	Small round hill
MULUBINBA	An indigenous fern; the site of Newcastle (3)
MULWALA	Rain
MUMBIL	Black wattle
MUMMULGUM	Green fruit pigeon
MUNGERIBAR	Red clay
MUNMURRA	Moon-blind native
MURRAGAMBA	Fresh tea-tree
MURRAMI	Crayfish
MURRUMBIDGEE	Track goes down here; a very good place · big water
MURRUMBURRAH	Two canoes
MURRUMURANG	One that is always laughing (63)
MURRURUNDI	Mountain
MURWILLUMBAH	Native camping ground
MUTTAMA	Like it; take it
MYUNA	Clear water
NABIAC	Wild fig tree
NAMBUCCA	Entrance to the sea; crooked river
NAMOI	Species of acacia
NANIMA	Something lost
NARARA	Black snake
NARGONG	Light
NAROOMA	Magic stone; Zamia palm growing in the water
NARRABRI	Big creek
NARRABURRA	Rough country
NARRAN	Hungry place
NARRANDERA	Goanna or blue-tongued lizard
NARRIAH	Bare place
NARROMINE	Place for honey; bony man
NATTAI	Water
NEEWORRA	Star

NELUNGALOO	Lizard
NERRIGUNDAH	Camp where edible berries grow
NIANGALA	Eclipse of the moon
NIMBIN	Pointed rock; a big stone
NIMMITABEL	Source of many streams
NOWRA	Black cockatoo; you and me
NUBBA	Youth
NULLANULLA	Large-headed club (51) (63)
NUMBA	Broad-leaved tea-tree
NUMERALLA	Valley of plenty
NUMULGI	Scrub turkey
NYNGAN	Mussel; crayfish; place of many streams
NYRANG	Little
OOLONG	Resort of native companions
OORIN	Emu
OOTHA	Ear
ORANA	Welcome
ORARA	Home of the perch
OURIMBAH	Sacred circle on initiation ground
PAMBULA	Two waters
PAROO	Flatfish
PARRAMATTA	Place where the eels lie down; dark jungle; head of a river
PATONGA	Small wallaby
PIALAWAY	Cracked mussel shell
PILLIGA / BILLAR-GA	Swamp oaks
PINDARI	High ground
POKATAROO	Wide river
PULLABOOKA	Head
QUAMBONE	Fog
QUANDIALLA	Porcupine
QUEANBEYAN	Clear water
QUIDONG	Place of echo; a cold place
QUIPOLLY	Waterholes containing fish
QUIRINDI	Dead tree on mountain top
TABULAM	My native home
TALLAGANDRA	Many crows
TALLAWANG	Place of the apple gum
TALLONG	Tongue; spring of water
TAMBAROORA	Place of the ibis
TARANA	Large waterhole
TARCOOLA	River bend
TARCUTTA	Flour and damper made from grass seeds
TAREE	Wild fig fruit
TARRAWONGA	Mating place of the pigeon
TARRO	Stone
TATHRA / TATIARA	Beautiful country; place of wild cats
TERALBA	Place where edible bush grows
TERRAMUNGAMINE	Man with a broken thigh
TERRANORA	Small river
TERRIGAL	Place of little birds
THIRROUL	Valley or hollow
THUDDUNGRA	Water rushes down

THULLOO	Wood
TIBOOBURRA	Heap of granite rocks
TILBA TILBA	Many waters
TIMBARRA	Grass tree
TINGHA	Flat or level
TINNENBURRA	Porcupine ; waterhole
TIRRANNA	Running water
TOCUMWAL	Deep hole
TOMAH	Fern tree
TOMINGLEY	Death-adder
TONGARRA	Home of the cabbage palm
TOOLIJOOA	Home of emus
TOONGABBIE	Place near the water
TOORAWEENA	Plenty of brown snakes
TOOTOOL	Bird
TORROWANGIE	Name of a creek
TOWRADGI	Keeper of the sacred stone
TOWRANG	Shield
TRANGIE	Quick
TUBBUL	Bone
TUGGERAH	Cold (3) (17)
TUGRABAKL	Place of ironbark
TULLIBIGEAL	Yarran wood spears
TUMBARUMBA	Sounding ground ; place of big trees
TUMUT	By the river
TURRAMURRA	High land ; small watercourse
TURRAWAN	Grey magpie
TYAGARAH	Open grass country
TY-AGONG	Species of wombat
UAMBI	Pine scrub
UARDRY	Yellow box tree
ULAMAMBRI	Opossum country
ULLADULLA, NGULLA-DULLA	Safe harbour
ULMARRA	Turn or bend in the river
ULOOLA	Sun
UMBANGO	To gaze
UNANDERRA	Junction of two creeks
URALLA	Big hill ; camp ; open running water ; bye and bye
URAMBI	Sleep
URANA	Noise of flying quail
URAWILKI	Long grass
WAGGA WAGGA	Reeling (a sick man or a dizzy man) (63) ; to dance or slide
WAGONGA	Home of the stinging nettle
WAHGUNYAH	Crows' resting place
WAHROONGA	Our home
WALCHA	Sun
WALGETT	River crossing
WALLABA	Hill
WALLABADAH	Stone
WALLANGARA	Big water
WALLAROBBA	Damp gully
WALLAWALLA	Rain
WALLENBEEN	Stony hill
WALLERAWANG	Plenty of water
WAMBANGALONG	Grey kangaroo in numbers

WAMBIDGEE	Blackfellow
WAMBOOL	Place of a river
WAMBOYN	Kangaroo (68)
WANDANDIAN	Home of the lost lovers ; tribal name (55)
WANDELLA	An initiated youth
WANGI WANGI	Night owl ; evergreen tree ; water water
WANGOOLA	To dig
WANTABADGERY	Fighting
WARGIN	Crow
WARIALDA, WORRALDA	Place of wild honey
WARRAH	Rain falling
WARRAMBOOL	Grass-grown watercourse
WARRANGONG	Berry (five-corners) ; rest-a-while,
WARRAWEE	Come here
WARREN	Strong ; a big root
WARRIGAL	Wild dog
WARRIMOO	Eagle
WARRINA	Place of rest
WARRINGAH	Signs of rain (63)
WARRIWILLAH	Twisting water
WARROO	Place of hornets
WARRUMBUNGLE	Hut ; short mountains
WATTAMOLLA	Place near running water
WEDDIN, WIDDIN	To stop or remain
WEEMALAH	Big frost
WEETALABAH	Scarcity of firewood ; place where fire went out
WEEWAA	Fire cast away
WEJA	To love
WHALAN	Mouth
WHIAN WHIAN	Trees with large roots
WHIPORIE	Choice
WIDGIEWA	What do you want ?
WILLANDRA	Little waters or a creek
WILLAWA	Stop here
WINDANG	Scene of a fight
WINGELLO	To burn
WINGEN	Fire
WINNUNGA	Small
WIREGAI	Clear ground
WIRRINYA	Sleep
WOLLAR	Flat bordering a creek
WOLLI	Blacks' camp
WOLLOMBI	Meeting of the waters
WOLLONDILLY	Water trickling over rocks
WOLLONGBAR	Hole in ground
WOLLONGONG	See ; the monster comes !
WOLLUN	Hard substance
WOLUMLA	Big swamps or waterhole
WOMBAT	Name of a native animal (26)
WOMBEYAN	Caves in the hills ; gigantic kangaroo
WOODENBONG	A lagoon
WOOLAWARE	Muddy flat
WOONONA	Place for young wallabies ; run now
WOOROOWOOLGAN	Bend in the river
WORONORA	Black rock

WOY WOY	Deep water ; a lagoon
WYANGA	Mother
WYANGAN	Turn back home
WYEE	Fire
WYLANDRA	Heap of stones
WYMAH	White cockatoo
WYONG	Running water ; place where Christmas bells grow
YADDRA	Too narrow
YAGOONA	To-day (26)
YALGOGRIN	Dead box-tree
YALLAKOOL	Clear water
YALLAROI	Stony ; a tribal name (52)
YALLAMBEE	To dwell or stay
YAMBA	Headland
YANCO	Song of running water
YANDERRA	Turpentine tree
YANDHAI	Nepean River
YARALLA	Camp ; bye and bye
YARRA	Swift motion ; a hiding place
YARRALDOOL	Lots of stones
YARRAWA	Violent wind storm
YARRABIN	White gum tree
YARRAHAPINNI ..	Native bear rolling down a hill
YARRAMALONG ..	Place of wild horses
YARRAMAN	Horse
YARRAMUNDI	Deep water
YARRANGOBILLY ..	Flowing stream
YARRAWONGA	Stony mountain ; Yarra River ; Wonga pigeons
YASS	Waters
YATHONG	Big sandhills
YELGUN	Sun
YOOLARAI	Name of tribe (52)
YULGILBAR	Big log

Aboriginal Names of Port Jackson

BENNELONG POINT ..	Jubugali, Dabugali, Tabegulli. (Bannelong, Baneelong), a native from Manly, trained by Governor Phillip to become an emissary of peace among the Port Jackson aborigines
BLUE'S POINT	Warringarea, Warrungara, Warrungarea
BRADLEY'S HEAD ..	Burra-gi, Burroggi
BUMBORA	Current off Dobroyde Head
CABARITA POINT	
CAREENING COVE ..	Weye Weye ; Wee-a-wy-ai
CATTAI CREEK ..	Between South Head and Watson's Bay
CHOWDER BAY (Clifton Gardens)	Koree
CHOWDER HEAD ..	Garuga, Gorugal
CLARK ISLAND ..	Ballongololah, Billong-ololah
COCKATOO ISLAND ..	Warrieabah, Warrianbah
COLLIN'S FLAT (Spring Cove)	Kayjamee, name of tribe or horde in this area. Governor Phillip was speared at this place when a whale feast was in progress
CROW'S NEST	Wargundy
DARLING HARBOUR ..	Tumbalong, Tuombalong
DARLING POINT ..	Eurambi, Yarranabbi, Yarrandabbi
DAWE'S POINT ..	Tabagulla, Tulagulla, Tarra
DOUBLE BAY	Diendagulla
ELIZABETH POINT ..	Jerrewon
FARM COVE	Kookaroo (Kukaru), Woccanmagulli, Yah-loong
FIG TREE POINT ..	Kooroowal, Kuruwal ; A wild fig tree
FLAGSTAFF POINT ..	Kannai
FORT DENISON ..	Matewanne, Mattawunga
GARDEN ISLAND ..	Booroowang, Buruwang
GOAT ISLAND	Melmel, Memel, Milmil
GREEN OR LAING'S POINT	Kubungharra, Tubbungnarra
HUNTER'S HILL ..	Moocooboola, Mukubula
KIRRIBILLI POINT ..	Also Kiarabilli
KURRABA POINT ..	Kurraba
KURRAGHBENNA POINT	Between Mosman's Bay and Little Sirius Cove
LANE COVE RIVER ..	Turranburra, Turrumburra

LAVENDER OR HULK BAY	Quiberi
LONG NOSE POINT ..	Yerroulbine, Yurilbin
MANLY BEACH ..	Kannai. The Kay-yee-my horde lived in the Manly district
MRS. MACQUARIE'S POINT	Wiong, Yah-loong, Youlaugh, Yourong, Yurong
MIDDLE HARBOUR (THE Spit)	Warring-ga, Boombilli, Barrabrui, Barra-brui, Barrabri
MIDDLE HEAD.. ..	Gurugal, Kubba-kubbi
MILLER'S POINT ..	Goodle, Goodye, Coodgee, Kudji
MILSON'S POINT ..	Walumetta, Wallumede (also Kiarabilli)
MOSMAN'S BAY ..	Goram-bullagong
NEUTRAL BAY ..	Warrabri, Wurrabirri, Wurrubirri
NEUTRAL BAY SHORE..	Karrabba
NORTH HARBOUR ..	Balgowlah, Kunna
NORTH HEAD	Boral, Boray, Boree
NORTH SHORE.. ..	Cammeray, Kammeray, Cammeri, Gommeru. Horde opposite Sydney Cove, or from Greenwich to Middle Harbour. Also Walumetta, Walumutta, Wallumede, another horde on the north side of the harbour, apparently to west of Cammeray-gals
PARRIWA (Parriwi) POINT AND RESERVE	Near the Spit, Middle Harbour
POINT PIPER	Walara, Willarra, Woolahra, Bungarrung
POTT'S POINT	Karrajeen, Kurrajeen, Yarrandabbi
ROBERTSON'S POINT ..	Walwarra-, Woolwarra-, and Wutworra-jeung
ROSE BAY	Ginagulla
RUSHCUTTER'S BAY ..	Kogerrah, Kogarah; place of rushes
SHARK ISLAND ..	Boambilli, Boambillia
SHARK POINT	Burrawang, Burraway
SNAPPER POINT ..	Wollowi
SOUTH HEAD	Burrawarra, Burrowarree
SOUTH SYDNEY ..	Kaddi, Kadi, from Kadi-gal; name of horde in this area
SOW AND PIGS' ROCKS	Barrabbara, Birrabirra, Burrabirra
SPRING COVE AND QUARANTINE STATION	Karrangla, Kurrangli
SYDNEY COVE (Circular Quay)	Warrung, Warrane
TARONGA	Beautiful view

VAUCLUSE BAY ..	Coolong, Kulong, Koo-e-lung; porpoise
VAUCLUSE POINT ..	Mering, Moring
WARRINGAH	Country to south of Middle Harbour; Middle Harbour; grey head
WATSON'S BAY ..	Kulli, Kutti
WOOLLOOMOOLOO ..	Wullaoomullah, Walomolo, on maps of early 1820's; Wallamulla, used by remnants of Sydney aborigines for this bay; Walla-bah-mulla, a black bush kangaroo, a young kangaroo; Wal-loo-yen-wal-loo, where are you going? Also said to mean a resting place for the dead
WUDYONG POINT (Careening Cove)	Also Wodyong
WYARGINE POINT ..	Middle Harbour

Footnote.—Authorities have not been able to define the precise names of these localities, and the alternative names and spelling are given. The meanings of the aboriginal words are known in only a few instances.

Euphonious Words

ADINA	Good
AL-LOEY	Stay (26)
ARANA	Moon (63)
ARRAGONG	Hardwood parrying shield (26)
ARRELLAH	Dancing ground (38)
ARRUNGA	Calm (26)
BAADO	Water (26)
BAANBAAN	Wavelets raised by the wind (63)
BABBILLA	Wild cat
BADDAWAL	The boomerang (63)
BAGGARAY	Small grey kangaroo (26)
BAINGARRA	To hold the wind, as in winnowing wheat (63)
BAIYAI	Meeting place of two parties; a tryst (63)
BAKIMBAL	Perch (33)
BALBU	Kangaroo-rat (63)
BALEABURRA	Blue (38)
BALIGA	Father (33)
BALLAGIRIN	Old opossum (63)
BALLANDA	Dream-time before man was created (63)
BALLARRA	Spear barbs (63)
BALLIMA	Very far away (63)
BILLIRAN	The silence of night (63)
BALLUGAN	Animals (63)
BALWANDARA	To swim; to float (63)
BAMBUYANG	Falling water
BANGALAY, BANG-ALLEY	Bastard mahogany tree (*Eucalyptus botryoides*) (17)
BANGAYARRA	To reconcile (63)
BANGOLONG	Autumn (63)
BARANBALI	East (66)
BARANGAROO	Name of a Port Jackson woman (26)
BARANGOOLA	Flood tide
BAROONA	Place far away
BAROWA	Large bullroarer (68)
BARRAKUN	Returning boomerang (68)
BARRAMALINGA	Convalescent (63)
BARRAWINGA	To hunt; to camp (63)
BELUBERA	Fine day; good looking person (38)
BERAMI	Spear-thrower (45)
BEREEWAN	Name of a Port Jackson man (26)
BERINGYA	Herring (27)
BERIWOLGAL	Name for white people, "men come from afar" (26)
BERRALUNYA	White crested crane (63)
BERRIMBILLA	Kingfisher
BERRINBA	To the south
BIBBURAH	Fire (63)
BILLAGAL	Down a mountain towards a river (63)
BILOELA	Cockatoo (27)
BIMBADGEN	Good view (33)

BIMBLE, BEMBIL	A box-tree
BINDERAGA	Pine tree (33)
BINGHI	Brother (66)
BINNGARRA	Spring
BINNOWEE	Green place
BINYALBARRA	To make fire (63)
BIRRAMAL	Bush (63)
BIRRAWANNA	To descend (63)
BIRRIWEL	Brave (68)
BIRRONG	Star (26)
BIRRUYI	Fish-hook (68)
BIRUBI	Southern Cross
BIWANBAI	Heat (33)
BONDEL	Name of a Port Jackson man (26)
BOODJERI	Good (51)
BOONDAH	Rough-barked Angophora (18) (26)
BOOMERANG, BUMARING	Crescentic or angled weapon, broad and flattened, of two types, returning and non-returning (17)
BRINGAGEE	Standing breast to breast
BROLGA, BUROLGA	Native companion (27) (63)
BUANGI	Spotted gum tree (18) (26)
BUBA	Bark canoe (66)
BUBIALLA	Sydney Golden Wattle, a Tasmanian native name for the tree adopted in N.S.W.
BUDDA, BUDTHA	Sandalwood tree (*Eremophila Mitchelli*)
BUDGERIGA, GIDGERRAGO, BETCHERYGA	Small grass parrot (63)
BUGUYA	Sunset (54)
BUJARA	Morning
BUKARI	Ring-tailed opossum (51)
BULABINGA	To be in couples
BULLAWAI	Flame tree (38)
BULMAI	To swim (45)
BULUARRA	Two (66)
BUMANNA	To move the wings (63)
BUNABAROO	Blue crane (27)
BUNDELOOK	Rosella parrot (51)
BUNGAMA	Good
BUNYIP	Amphibious animal of mythical significance (63)
BURAWAL	Quail (51)
BUROMI	Wind (66)
BURRAGALEA	Day (66)
BURRAMBIN	Eternal (63)
BURRAWAL	Sea (51)
BURRAWANG	Spiral Fern palm (*Macrozamia spiralis*)
BURRAWONG	Giant Fern palm (*Macrozamia Perowskiana*)
BURREN-DAH	Place of the swan
BURRIMA	Swan (58)
BURROGURU	Sea beach
BURUMIN	Grey opossum (26)

BURUWANG .. .. Island; white man's ship (26)
BUYABIANNA .. .. To praise; to speak well of (63)
BUYONG .. .. } Stavewood tree (*Tarrietia Argyrodendron* (4)
BOYUNG .. ..
BYONG .. ..
BUYUMA .. .. Foot of a hill (63)

DAMEELI .. .. Namesake, goodwill, affection (26)
DANDARBONG .. .. Very pretty (63)
DANGUNYAH .. .. To come here (63)
DARRINGAL .. .. His (26)
DEEDORA .. .. Name of a Port Jackson man (26)
DILLABIRRA .. .. To scatter, to sow (63)
DINALLEONG .. .. } Women (26)
GINALLEONG ..
DINDIMA .. .. Pleiades (63)
DIRONBIRONG .. Red streams of clouds in the evening (63)
DULUGAL .. .. North-west (26)
DUMU .. .. .. To keep (68)
DURAWI .. .. Grass (51)
DURILGAI .. .. Fruitful (63)
DUWINGERI .. .. Place of axe-stone
DUWINNUL .. .. Club (26)

EENAWEENA .. .. Little woman; a woman at a fire
EERAWAI .. .. Mirage (63)
EKUBA .. .. .. Good-bye (68)
ELEEBANA .. .. Beauty
EELIMAN .. .. } Bark shield (51)
ELIMONG .. ..
ELANORA .. .. Home by the sea
ELLIMATTA .. .. Our dwelling
ELLIMEEK .. .. My hut
EORA .. .. .. Blackfellows of Sydney district (26)
ERANG .. .. A valley (26)
EREMERAN .. .. Rock
EROWARI .. .. Clouds (63)
EUMANGLA .. .. Waterhole

GALUNGUN .. .. Green tree-snake (68)
GANIMONG .. .. Kangaroo-rat (26)
GARA .. .. .. Snapper fish (68)
GARIWANG .. .. Cold east wind (63)
GARUWA .. .. The sea (68)
GERRUBINE .. .. Plain spear (26)
GHURYUNGUN .. Our land, our tribe, our own, mine (27)
GIAGINYE .. .. Glad (to see you); welcome (27)
GIAMONG .. .. Moon (67)
GIARGUL .. .. Waterfall (4)
GIDJI .. .. .. Stinking wattle tree
GILLARUNG .. .. Honeysuckle (45)
GILLWINGA .. .. Cedar tree (33)
GINJULLA .. .. Good
GIRAGA .. .. Honey (68)
GIRRAWA .. .. Goanna in tree (63)
GIRRILANG .. .. Star (63)
GIWANGA .. .. Stars (16)
GIWARRA .. .. To roast, to cook (63)

GOANNA .. .. Not an aboriginal name but a corruption of the Portuguese iguana
GOONDARI .. .. Angophora or wild apple tree (68)
GORAGORA .. .. Red opossum (26)
GRUI .. .. .. } Native peach or sour plum tree
GURUI .. ..
GUABINGA .. .. To rest, to sit (63)
GUARA .. .. Gum tree (58)
GUBBURA .. .. Bloom on trees (45)
GULIA .. .. .. Umbrella bush or curly Yarran
GULLIWAI .. .. To climb (16)
GUMBUYA .. .. Meeting place
GUNAGULLA .. .. Sky (27)
GUNAMA .. .. } Snow (51)
KUNAMA .. ..
GUNDIGANG .. .. Leaves of trees (45)
GUNDIWAI .. .. Shade (63)
GUNGUARI .. .. Halo; a circle around the moon (63)
GUNYA .. .. Hut (51) (68)
GURA .. .. .. Wind (51)
GURAGAI .. .. Opossum (33)
GURAWIN .. .. Flower (63)
GURAWOONG .. .. Bandicoot (63)
GURDA .. .. Cool of the evening (63)
GURIAN .. .. Lake or lagoon (63)
GURIANAWA .. .. Walk easy (27)
GURIDIANA .. .. Name of a Port Jackson woman (26)
GURRAWURRA .. .. Jewfish (68)
GURUMBI .. .. White gum (68)
GUYA .. .. .. } Fish (63)
KUYA .. ..
GWANDALAN .. .. Rest, peace
GWARRA .. .. High wind (26)
GWEAGAL .. .. Name of horde on the south shore of Botany Bay
GWEYONG .. .. Fire (26)
ILKARINGA .. .. An edible plant (1)
ILLA-LANGI .. .. Camp (house) on a hill
ILLAREGA .. .. Broad-leaved Angophora tree (4)
ILLAWONG .. .. View of the water
ILLILLIWA .. .. West
ILLIWERA .. .. White clay (51)
ILLOWRA .. .. White fish eagle (64)
IMEERAWANYI .. Name of a Port Jackson man (26)
INDUBILLA .. .. You two (63)
IRAGA .. .. .. Spring (63)
IRAIDURAI .. .. The morning star (63)
IRAMBANG .. .. Big mountain; mountainous; steep; dangerous (63)
IRAMIR .. .. Steep river bank; a precipice (63)
IREMILLAN .. .. Dawn (63)
IRINIRIN .. .. Cold west wind (63)
IRRAMURRI .. .. Bream fish (51)
IRRIBIN .. .. A swallow (63)
IRTALI .. .. .. Black bean tree (4)
JERREWAWA .. .. Black apple tree (17) (64)
JINDAOLA .. .. Goanna (51)
KAGANG .. .. Paddle (45)

KAIARABA .. .. Place of the sea-weeds (3)
KAIKAI .. .. Jewfish
KAJIMBOURRA .. Angophora tree (26) (18)
KALANG .. .. Beautiful
KALGALLEON .. .. Greater Magellanic clouds (26)
KALIANNA .. .. To ascend; climb up (63)
KALINDYI .. .. Island (63)
KALLAGANG .. .. Edible root (63)
KALLINDALEIN .. Black snake (63)
KALMALDAIN .. .. Composer; a poet (63)
KAMIRI .. .. Name of a tribe (Kamilaroi) (27)
KAMULLA .. .. Catch me
KANABI .. .. Wild duck or geese
KANANDAH .. .. Land where the sun sets
KANGOOLA .. .. Hungry
KANNING .. .. Cave (26)
KARABELLA .. .. Dwelling at North Sydney built in 1822 (meaning unknown)
KARABIL .. .. White cedar tree (38)
KARAGA .. .. Native companion (bird)
KARAGORA .. .. Cloud (26)
KARA KARA .. .. Moon
KARAMARRA .. .. Water (63)
KARAWA .. .. Come back (33)
KARAWATHA .. .. Place of pines
KARBO .. .. Bye and Bye (51)
KAREELA .. .. South wind
KARINGAL .. .. Happy home or camp
KARINYA .. .. Peaceful home
KARIWANG .. .. Leaf (63)
KARMAI .. .. Spear (51)
KAROWARA .. .. Green (66)
KARRABEE .. .. Cockatoo
KARRAHJUN .. .. Fishing line (26)
KARRADJI .. .. Magician and medicine man (51)
KARRARI .. .. Net (63)
KARRIGERANG .. Sea (26)
KARRIBI .. .. Headland (4)
KARRIL .. .. Leaves (27)
KARRUWANG .. .. Club (26)
KARUMANG .. .. Forest oak
KAWUL .. .. Eagle-hawk (66)
KENIBEA .. .. Swan (38)
KIA-KIA .. .. To conquer; to be courageous and strong (3)
KIAMALA .. .. Name of an aboriginal
KIARA .. .. .. White cockatoo (4)
KILLAWARRA .. .. Turpentine tree (17)
KILLIBINBIN .. .. To shine; to be bright; to be glorious (3)
KIMBERWALLI .. Stars (51)
KINDAMINDI .. .. To laugh
KIRAWA .. .. Looking for them
KIRILLIKO .. .. To bail out a canoe (3)
KIRRAKURRA .. .. Autumn (68)
KIRRAWIRRA .. .. Light (33)
KIRRULE .. .. Aroused
KIWONG .. .. Bathing place (67); moon (68)
KIYONG .. .. Sea (64)
KOALA .. .. } Native bear (51)
KULA .. .. }
COLO .. .. }

KOINGBIBOBA .. .. Rising sun (26)
KOKATU .. .. Cockatoo (68)
KOLBEE .. .. } Name of a Port Jackson man (26)
KOLEBE .. .. }
KOOKABURRA .. .. Laughing Jackass (27) (63)
KOOLWANNIA .. Black swan
KOOMPARTOO .. .. Fresh start
KOONDOOLOO .. Emu
KOOROONGABA .. Pelican
KORELLA .. .. } Long-billed White Cockatoo of Western Australia
CORELLA .. .. }
KOROKON .. .. To roar, as the sea (3)
KORROBRA .. .. } Dance-drama at night (51)
CORROBOREE .. .. }
KOURANGA .. .. Blue or Flooded gum (64)
KUARAN .. .. Hill (66)
KUBA .. .. .. } Umbrella bush
GUBANG .. .. }
KUBU .. .. .. Oak
KUBURA .. .. Young man attending initiation ceremony
KUDJERI .. .. Stavewood tree (*Flindersia schottiana*)
KUI .. .. .. } Come here, welcome (26)
COOEE .. .. }
KULAI .. .. .. Trees, wood (63)
KULAMON .. .. } Gnarl or wooden container (27) (51) (63) etc.
KULOMIN .. .. }
KULAPATAMBA .. Where the eagle drinks
KULAWIN .. .. Big native bear (16)
KULGARI .. .. Reeds (4)
KULGURA .. .. Leatherhead and its nest (63)
KULIYA .. .. Flying phalanger (27)
KULLEEN .. .. Water (63)
KULLINGRAL .. .. Deep waterhole
KULLOWAH .. Shingleback lizard (63)
KULLUGA .. .. Kangaroo rat (33)
KULMAREN .. .. Ferns
KULONBA .. .. Ibis (4)
KUMBIRI .. .. Sweetheart (33)
KUNDOOL .. .. Boat (38)
KUNYAL .. .. Leaves of trees
KUPPOONDI .. .. Hut (68)
KURAMIN .. .. } Flame tree (64)
COORAMYN .. .. }
KUREDULLA .. .. Eagle-hawk (25)
KURINGAL .. .. Initiates; initiation ceremonies and ground of south coast tribes, N.S.W.
KURINGBAR .. .. Pademelon wallaby
KURRABI .. .. Gully; creek
KURRAGARA .. .. Reed-shafted spear (33)
KURRAKABAH .. .. Bastard Myall (27)
KURRANGAI .. .. Black duck (27)
KURRALI .. .. Remain here (27)
KURRAWA .. .. Sea (17)
KURRAWIR .. .. Ring-tail opossum (51)
KURREEKI .. .. Myrtle tree (68)
KURRIDJAH .. .. White honeysuckle (18) (26)
KURRILWA .. .. Native bear (51)
KURRIWAY .. .. Snake (66)

KURRIYALLIBA .. Silent (27)
KURRAWON .. .. Summer (68)
KURURMA .. .. Blackfish (51)
KURUMAN .. .. Kangaroo (61)
KURUGAMA .. .. Wind (64)
KUTTABUL .. .. Wonderful
KUYAL .. .. Fire
KUYUK .. .. Bark canoe (68)
KUYUMGUN .. .. Stars
KYALBUN .. .. Lyre bird (4)
KYEEMA .. .. Dawn
KYWONG .. .. Resting or camping place

MAGARRA .. .. To look pretty, to be bright (63)
MALDANNA .. .. To provide, to get (63)
MALDURINGA .. .. To dig roots (63)
MALLEE .. .. Eucalypts with multiple trunks and stunted growth
MAMUNNA .. .. Sister (26)
MANAWANG .. .. Brown pigeon (2)
MANDOWI .. .. } Grey gum tree (*Eucalyptus punctata* (26)
MUNDOWI .. ..
MARAYONG .. .. Emu (26)
MARENGO .. .. } Bark canoe
MURINGO .. ..
MARRADUL .. .. Long time ago (63)
MARRAGARRA .. .. To hold fast (63)
MATILBA .. .. Name of a Port Jackson woman (26)
MAWAMBAL .. .. All met together (63)
MANIMOLONG .. Dew (26)
MERRINGARRA .. Black Pencil Cedar tree (64)
MIA-MIA .. .. Camp ; shelter
MILBA .. .. Name of a Port Jackson woman (26)
MILBARRA .. .. To beat regularly as with clapsticks (63)
MILJI .. .. .. Umbrella bush ; Curly Yarran or Black Myall tree (*Acacia Oswaldi*)
MILLAWELANG .. Native shrub (63)
MINKILLIKO .. .. To dwell ; to remain (3)
MIPPARAI .. .. Honey-comb (3)
MIPUYU .. .. Mullet (68)
MIRRABOOKA .. .. Southern Cross ; dead dog
MIRRAGANG .. .. Dingo and its playground (45)
MIYAL .. .. Stranger (26)
MOANI .. .. Kangaroo (3)
MOLUMOLONG .. Pleiades (26)
MUDGERABAH .. .. Blackwood tree (27)
MUGGA .. .. Red Ironbark
MULGA .. .. *Acacia* sp. ; shield ; boomerang tree (58)
MULGABIRRA .. .. To give all (63)
MULGO .. .. Black swan (26)
MULLARA .. .. Married (26)
MUNDOE .. .. Foot (13)
MUNNUMBA .. .. Red gum tree (68)
MUOGAMARRA .. To keep in reserve for future use (63)
MURABAN .. .. Flowers, blossoms (3)
MURILLA .. .. Stone

MURONGA .. .. Bullroarer (45)
MURRAGUN .. .. Port Jackson Pine (26)
MURRAKIN .. .. Young maidens (3)
MURRALIN .. .. Climbing (68)
MURRAMIRRA .. To look at with surprise (63)
MURRANAL .. .. Blind (63)
MURRAWAN .. .. Ground (66)
MURRAWARRA .. To stand fast (63)
MURREENABAH .. Dingo (27)
MURRIANG .. .. Place where the ocean ceases at the end of the world ; where Biamai lives (63)
MURRIGAL .. .. Swamp gum (45)
MURRINUI .. .. Ship (51)
MURROGUN .. .. A beech tree (*Cryptocarya microneura*) (17)
MURRUA .. .. West wind (63)
MURRUNGOYARRA .. To say always (63)
MURU .. .. Pathway ; road (16) (51)
MURUBA .. .. Beautiful (27)

NAARILLA .. .. To dance (4)
NAIRANA .. .. Eagle
NALLAWILLI .. .. Sit down (51)
NALLEEGHEE .. .. Our (63)
NAMBAI .. .. Cabbage tree palm (2) (61)
NANARDINE .. .. Swallow (63)
NANDIRONG .. .. Bent, like a hook (63)
NANNEGAI .. .. A fish
NAPUNYAH .. .. Yellow Jacket tree
NARBONG .. .. Woman's bag ; pouch of an animal (63)
NARDU .. .. Water plant seed (63)
NARRAWAI .. .. Heat mist in the air (63)
NARRAWAN .. .. Oar or paddle (51)
NEEREA .. .. Rest
NIALLI .. .. Here (27)
NIAMBAR .. .. Flying phalanger (63)
NIARA .. .. .. Look there (64)
NILYAH .. .. Several kinds of wattle trees
NIMTULA .. .. Pigeon (67)
NIOKA .. .. .. Green hill
NIRIKAI .. .. Young woman (63)
NIRITIBA .. .. Mutton bird (3)
NOAMURRA .. .. Man and wife
NOONBINNA .. .. Kangaroo
NOWI .. .. .. } Bark canoe (18) (26) (51)
NAWAI .. ..
NULANG .. .. Mist ascending (63)
NULGARRA .. .. Bright (63)
NULLEGAI .. .. We two (63)
NURALDA .. .. Summer (4)
NURILLIKO .. .. To throw the boomerang (3)
NURREWIN .. .. Lyre bird (68)
NURRUNGI .. .. Remember (68)
NYARI .. .. .. Rocks (4)
NYIMARAI .. .. Camp (27)

PALIJARRA .. .. Pretty (67)
PALONA .. .. Hawk (27)
PATAGORANG .. .. Large grey kangaroo (26)
PILLAPAI .. .. Valley or hollow (3)

PILLATORO .. .. To set as the sun or moon (3)
PINNABURRA .. .. Beech tree (38)
PIPPITA .. .. Small hawk (3)
PIRIWAL .. .. Leader (3)
PITURI .. .. } Narcotic (*Duboisia Hopwoodii*);
PITJURI .. .. } Ularinja tribe, Queensland
PULWARRA .. .. Two (17)
PUNA .. .. .. Sea sand (3)
PUNTIMAI .. .. Messenger (3)
PURKULLIKO .. .. To fly (3)
PURRUPA .. .. Hut (68)

QUANDONG .. .. Native plum or cherry (63)

ROSELLA .. .. Not an aboriginal name but a corruption of "Rosehill" parrakeet

TAGUDI .. .. Paddle (33)
TAIYAM .. .. Evening (4)
TALWONG .. .. Black magpie (4)
TALARA .. .. } Frost or snow (51) (63)
DULARA .. .. }
TALLAGOONG .. Forest gum
TALLAROOK .. .. Wattle bird (63)
TALLAWALLA .. .. Forest country
TARRAWONGA .. .. Mating place of pigeons
TARRAWULLI .. .. To walk (27)
TIRABEENBA .. .. Tooth-like point of land (3)
TORUMBA .. .. Red mahogany (26)
TULGAN .. .. Heavy swell (17)
TULLATULA .. .. Porcupine (27)
TULUKERA .. .. Fighting boomerang (66)
TUMULLA .. .. Creek (68)
TURI .. .. .. Fighting boomerang (68)
TURRAMA .. .. Boomerang (3)
TURELLA .. .. Reeds growing in the water
TURRILA .. .. Fishing net (3)
TURRUKA .. .. Handle of a stone tomahawk (68)
TURRUMBI .. .. Kangaroo rat (66)
TURUGA .. .. Falling star (26)
TYARAN .. .. Frog (33)
TYAWAN .. .. Lyre bird (33)
TYCANNAH .. .. Bring it

UDELEWAR .. .. We two
ULINGA .. .. To fly (63)
ULLAILINGA .. .. To call for some one (63)
ULULU .. .. Whistling duck; Widgeon duck (63)
URALBA .. .. Plenty of white quartz stones; a hollow or basin
URIMBIRRA .. .. To take care of; to preserve (63)
URINGA .. .. Long beach

WADDY .. .. } Club (51)
WODDI .. .. }
WAIYI .. .. .. Pup (68)
WALLAMI .. .. Snapper fish (51)
WALLAR .. .. Waterhole in rocks (63)
WALLARU .. .. } Small kangaroo (63); ountain
WOLARU .. .. } kangaroo (51)
WALLAWA .. .. Stop here (51)

WALLABY .. .. }
WALLIBAH .. .. } Black brush wallaby (26) (51)
WALABA .. .. }
WALLUMARRA .. .. To protect, as a guardian (63)
WALU .. .. .. Bark canoe (33)
WALUMBA .. .. Flying fox (33)
WAMBINGA .. .. To support (63)
WAMBONG .. .. Constellation (63)
WAMMARRA .. .. To build (a hut) (63)
WAMMURANG .. .. Club (26)
WANGALONG .. .. White cockatoo (66)
WANGIAN .. .. To sit at the back of the fire (63)
WANNANNA .. .. To throw (63)
WARATAH .. .. } A shrub (*Telopea* sp.) (26)
WARRATAU .. .. }
WARAWARA .. .. Far away (51)
WARELLA .. .. Canoe
WARRAGIM .. .. Shark (33)
WARRAH .. .. Start; go (17)
WARRAKAL .. .. Evening (16)
WARRAMBA .. .. Turtle (63)
WARRIWARRI .. .. Long chain of hills (63)
WARRUGANG .. .. Snow gum (45)
WARUMBUI .. .. Watercourse with trees along banks (27)
WATTAWAN .. .. Large mullet (3)
WAWINA .. .. To move the wings; to fly (63)
WEEMALA .. .. Distant view (27)
WEERAGULLA .. .. } Parrot (63)
WIRRAGULLA .. }
WEERONA .. .. Resting place
WERIWIA .. .. Name of a Port Jackson woman (26)
WIAMERA .. .. Music
WILARIMGUL .. .. Stars (4)
WILBAN .. .. Cave (63)
WILGA .. .. Willow tree (*Geijera parviflora*)
WILLURAI .. .. Very sweet (63)
WINBIN .. .. Morning (51)
WINDI .. .. Sea beach (38)
WINGA .. .. To sit down; to live (63)
WINNIMA .. .. Close by (51)
WIPPI .. .. } Wind (3)
WIBBI .. .. }
WIRAWI .. .. Black woman (51)
WIREA .. .. .. Pelican (58)
WIRINDURONG .. Bower bird (63)
WIRONG .. .. North wind (63)
WIRRAKAL .. .. Grass-tree (16)
WIRRILA .. .. Brush-turkey (27)
WIRRINDA .. .. Honeysuckle (33)
WIRRIMBIRRA .. .. To keep; to preserve (63)
WIRRONG .. .. Scars cut on the back (26)
WIRUNA .. .. Sunset
WOBBEGONG .. .. Shark
WOLARAWAREE .. Name of Port Jackson man (26)
WOLLOGUL .. .. Kingfish (51)
WOMBAL .. .. Sea beach (3)
WOMARRA .. .. } Spear-thrower (3) (33) (51)
WOMRA .. .. }
WONGA WONGA .. Blue pigeon (51) (63)

WOOMBA	Evening star (63)
WURALIGAN	Rainbow (66)
WARRIGAL	Dingo (3) (26)
WARIKAL	Dingo (3) (26)
WORRIJAL	Mullet (51)
WULLUNYA	To swim (51)
WUNAL	Summer (3)
WURABINDA	Camp at a deep water hole
WURINYAN	To love
WURLI	Bough-shelter
WURRABURRA	Bush fire (4)
WURUMA	Westerly wind (68)
WYANG	Mother (26)
WYANNA	Mother (26)
WYANNA	Wallaby (66)
YABBI	Crayfish (63)
YAH-LOONG	Cleared space for public ceremonies (26)
YULONG	Cleared space for public ceremonies (26)
YALBILLINGA	To learn (63)
YALGU	Leafless tree (63)
YALLABAL	Always generous or liberal (63)
YALLARADANG	Gum oozing from trees (63)
YALLOWA	To sit down (68)
YALLUL	Always (63)
YAMBINYA	To live with, as husband and wife (63)
YAMBOLINYA	Old woman (27)
YANAH	To throw (51)
YANDEMBAH	Home of ghosts
YANINA	North (67)
YAREA	Evening (63)
YAREENUMBA	Our (68)
YARRAN	Wattle tree (*Acacia homalophylla*)
YARRAWULLAI	Gum tree blossoms (63)
YARRINGAN	Clear, transparent, as water (63)
YARU	To swim (68)
YAWARRA	To watch; to take care (63)
YAWUNG	Pathway (51)
YEENERA	Boat (26)
YELLAGONG	Rejoice (51)
YENNADAH	Moon (26)
YERALLA	Featherwood tree (64)
YEROMILLA	To swim (4)
YERRABALINGA	To walk (45)
YERRANBI	Headland
YIEL YIEL	A tree (*Grevillia Hilliana*)
YILUK	Sun (51)
YINBILLIKO	To kindle a fire (3)
YIREMBA	Dog (3)
YITELLIKO	To nibble or bite, as a fish the bait (3)
YUKA	Flathead fish (68)
YUKRI	Spear-thrower (68)
YULLUMA	Walleru (63), type of kangaroo
YULUNGA	To play or dance (27)
YURANA	Loving
YURANYI	Black duck (51)
YURONGI	Wild duck (26)
YURREEL	Cloud (68)
YURUGA	Extensive view

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